

**INFORMATION DISCLOSURE
STATEMENT BY APPLICANT**
(Not for submission under 37 CFR 1.99)

Application Number	09998901
Filing Date	2001-11-29
First Named Inventor	Ellis
Art Unit	3622
Examiner Name	Michael Bekerman
Attorney Docket Number	130081

U.S.PATENTS						<input type="button" value="Remove"/>
Examiner Initial*	Cite No	Patent Number	Kind Code ¹	Issue Date	Name of Patentee or Applicant of cited Document	Pages, Columns, Lines where Relevant Passages or Relevant Figures Appear
	1	4731841	A	1988-03-15	Rosen	
	2	5553242	A	1996-09-03	Russell	
	3	5757891	A	1998-05-26	Wang	
	4	6084969	A	2000-07-04	Wright	
	5	6654886	B1	2003-11-25	Challener	
	6	6668323	B1	2003-12-23	Challener	
	7	7047411	B1	2006-05-16	DeMello	
	8	7051209	B1	2006-05-23	Brickell	

INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT BY APPLICANT (Not for submission under 37 CFR 1.99)		Application Number		09998901		
		Filing Date		2001-11-29		
		First Named Inventor		Ellis		
		Art Unit		3622		
		Examiner Name		Michael Bekerman		
		Attorney Docket Number		130081		

	9	7089211	B1	2006-08-08	Trostle	
	10	7251632	B1	2007-07-31	Ogg	
	11	7461249	B1	2008-12-02	Pearson	

If you wish to add additional U.S. Patent citation information please click the Add button.

U.S.PATENT APPLICATION PUBLICATIONS

Examiner Initial*	Cite No	Publication Number	Kind Code ¹	Publication Date	Name of Patentee or Applicant of cited Document	Pages,Columns,Lines where Relevant Passages or Relevant Figures Appear
	1					

If you wish to add additional U.S. Published Application citation information please click the Add button.

FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS

Examiner Initial*	Cite No	Foreign Document Number ³	Country Code ²	Kind Code ⁴	Publication Date	Name of Patentee or Applicant of cited Document	Pages,Columns,Lines where Relevant Passages or Relevant Figures Appear	T ⁵
	1	0534420	EP	A2	1993-03-31	Matyas		<input type="checkbox"/>

If you wish to add additional Foreign Patent Document citation information please click the Add button

NON-PATENT LITERATURE DOCUMENTS

Examiner Initials*	Cite No	Include name of the author (in CAPITAL LETTERS), title of the article (when appropriate), title of the item (book, magazine, journal, serial, symposium, catalog, etc), date, pages(s), volume-issue number(s), publisher, city and/or country where published.	T ⁵
	1		<input type="checkbox"/>

INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT BY APPLICANT (Not for submission under 37 CFR 1.99)	Application Number	09998901
	Filing Date	2001-11-29
	First Named Inventor	Ellis
	Art Unit	3622
	Examiner Name	Michael Bekerman
	Attorney Docket Number	130081

If you wish to add additional non-patent literature document citation information please click the Add button

EXAMINER SIGNATURE

Examiner Signature	Date Considered
<p>*EXAMINER: Initial if reference considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609. Draw line through a citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant.</p> <p>¹ See Kind Codes of USPTO Patent Documents at www.USPTO.GOV or MPEP 901.04. ² Enter office that issued the document, by the two-letter code (WIPO Standard ST.3). ³ For Japanese patent documents, the indication of the year of the reign of the Emperor must precede the serial number of the patent document. ⁴ Kind of document by the appropriate symbols as indicated on the document under WIPO Standard ST.16 if possible. ⁵ Applicant is to place a check mark here if English language translation is attached.</p>	